

Policy Review

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Recently Issued Rules/Notices

Aug-16-2004	Proposed rule, withdrawal	Corrosion Prevention and Control Program	FAA-2002-13458
Aug-13-2004	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM); extension of comment period	Use of Certain Portable Oxygen Concentrator Devices Onboard Aircraft	FAA-2004-18596
Aug-13-2004	Proposed Rule and Notice	Safety Standards for Flight Guidance Systems and Proposed Revisions to Advisory Circular 25-1329-1A, Automatic Pilot Systems Approval	FAA-2004-18775
July-27-2004	Final rule; Request for Comments	Fuel Tank Safety Compliance Extension (Final Rule) and Aging Airplane Program Update (Request for Comments)	FAA-2004-17681
July-27-2004	Final rule	Certification of Aircraft and Airmen for the Operation of Light-Sport Aircraft	FAA-2001-11133
July-14-2004	Notice of proposed rulemaking	Use of Certain Portable Oxygen Concentrator Devices Onboard Aircraft	FAA-2004-18596
July-02-2004	Final rule Miscellaneous Flight Requirements;	Powerplant Installation Requirements; Public Address System; Trim Systems and Protective Breathing Equipment; and Powerplant Controls	FAA-2002-13859
June-29-2004	Final rule	Aircraft Assembly Placard Requirements	FAA-2004-18477
June-16-2004	Notice of adoption; notice of availability	Environmental Impacts: Policies and Procedures	HTML
June-15-2004	Final rule	Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments	HTML
June-09-2004	Notice of proposed rulemaking	Passenger Facility Charge Program, Non-Hub Pilot Program and Related Changes	FAA-2004-17999
June-04-2004	Final rule; correction	Certification of Airports	FAA-2000-7479
June-04-2004	Final rule	Prohibition Against Certain Flights By Syrian Air Carriers to the United States	FAA-2004-17763
June-02-2004	Final rule	Noise Certification Regulations for Helicopters	FAA-2000-7958
June-02-2004	Notice of public meeting	Flight Data Recorder (FDR) Filtering	PDF
May-19-2004	Notice	Membership in the National Parks Overflights Advisory Group	HTML
May-17-2004	Supplemental notice of proposed rulemaking	Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Programs for Personnel Engaged in Specified Aviation Activities	FAA-2002-11301
May-11-2004	Notice of proposed rulemaking	Implementing the Maintenance Provisions of Bilateral Agreements	FAA-2004-17683
May-03-2004	Final rule	Design Standards for Fuselage Doors on Transport Category Airplanes	FAA-2003-14193
Apr-27-04	Statement of policy and disposition of comments	Colo Void Clause Coalition; Antenna Systems Co-Location; Voluntary Best Practices	FAA-2004-16982
Apr-26-04	Technical Amendment	General Rulemaking Procedures	HTML

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Apr-23-04	Final rule;	Interpretation Prohibition Against Certain Flights Within the Territory and Airspace of Iraq; Approval Process for Requests for Authorization to Operate in Iraqi Airspace	FAA-2003-14766
Apr-20-04	Notice of Public Meeting, and Extension of the Comment	Period National Air Tour Safety Standards	FAA-1998-4521
Apr-14-04	Final rule; partial revised compliance date	Emergency Medical Equipment	FAA-2000-7119
Apr-08-04	Correction; technical amendment	Manual Requirements in Part 135	FAA-2004-17119
Apr-02-04	Notice of Renewal	Federal Aviation Administration; Aviation Rulemaking Advisory Committee	PDF
Mar-30-04	Final rule	Security Control of Air Traffic	HTML
Mar-22-04	Policy Statment	Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Programs for Personnel Engaged in Specified Aviation Activities	FAA-2002-11301
Mar-18-04	Final rule	Revisions to Passenger Facility Charge Rule for Compensation to Air Carriers	FAA-2002-13918
Mar-17-04	Correction; technical amendment	Procedures for Transportation Workplace Drug and Alcohol Testing Programs: Drug and Alcohol Management Information System Reporting	OST-2002-13435
Mar-16-04	Final rule	Electrical Equipment and Installations, Storage Battery Installation; Electronic Equipment; and Fire Protection of Electrical System Components on Transport Category Airplanes	FAA-2001-9634 FAA-2001-9633 FAA-2001-9638 FAA-2001-9637
Mar-11-04	Notice	Membership in the National Parks Overflights Advisory Group Aviation Rulemaking Committee	HTML
Feb-27-04	Notice of Intent to Prepare Environmental Assessments and Notice of Initiation of Public Scoping	Environmental Assessments for the Air Tour Management Plan Program at Haleakala National Park, Hawaii Volcanoes NationalPark, Puukohola Heiau National Historic Site, Kaloko-Honokohau National Park, Kalaupapa National Historical Park, and Pu'uuhonua O Hanaunau National Historical Park	HTML
Feb-27-04	Notice of meeting	National Parks Overflights Advisory Group Aviation Rulemaking Committee	HTML
Feb-26-04	Request for comments	Review of Existing Regulations	FAA-2004-17168
Feb-11-04	Notice of proposed rulemaking	Noise Stringency Increase for Single-Engine Propeller-Driven Small Airplanes	FAA-2004-17041
Feb-11-04	Interim final rule; correction	Aging Airplane Safety	FAA-1999-5401
Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	Special Air Traffic Rules; Flight Restrictions in the Vicinity of Niagara Falls	FAA-2002-13235

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Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	Extension of Compliance Times for Fuel Tank System Safety Assessments	FAA-1999-6411
Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	DOD Commercial Air Carrier Evaluators	FAA-2003-15571
Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	Regulation of Fractional Aircraft Ownership Programs and On-Demand Operations	FAA-2001-10047
Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	Enhanced Flight Vision Systems	FAA-2003-14449
Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	Improved Flammability Standards for Thermal/Acoustic Insulation Materials Used in Transport Category Airplanes	FAA-2000-7909
Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	Digital flight Data Recorder Requirements -- Changes to Recording Specifications and Additional Exceptions	FAA-2003-15682
Feb-11-04	Final rule; correction	Collision Avoidance Systems	FAA-2001-10910
Feb-10-04	Notice of Public Meeting on the Internet	National Air Tour Safety Standards	FAA-1998-4521
Feb-10-04	Proposed rule; reopening of comment period	Flight Simulation Device Initial and Continuing Qualification and Use	FAA-2002-12461
Feb-10-04	Final rule	Certification of Airports	FAA-2000-7479
Feb-09-04	Report to Congress	Economic Impact on Air Service at Airports Serving Small Air Carrier Aircraft Resulting from Certain Changes to Title 14 CFR Part 139 - Certification of Airports	PDF
Feb-06-04	Disposition of comments on interim final rule	Construction or Alteration in the Vicinity of the Private Residence of the President of the United States	FAA-2003-14972
Feb-04-04	Final rule; confirmation of effective date	Special Federal Aviation Regulation No. 36, Development of Major Repair Data	FAA-2004-16982
Feb-03-04	Notice of availability and request for comments.	Colo Void Clause Coalition	FAA-2004-16982
Jan-21-04	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM)	Establishment of Organization Designation Authorization Procedures	FAA-2003-16685
Jan-16-04	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM); extension of comment period	National Air Tour Safety Standards	FAA-1998-4521
Jan-12-04	Final rule	Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Programs for Personnel Engaged in Specified Aviation Activities	FAA-2002-11301
Jan-09-04	Final rule	Enhanced Flight Vision Systems	FAA-2003-14449
Jan-06-04	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM); Extension of comment period	Extended Operations (ETOPS) of Multi-engine Airplanes	FAA-2002-6717

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Jan-05-04	Proposed rule; correction	Extended Operations (ETOPS) of Multi-engine Airplanes	FAA-2002-6717
Dec-30-03	Final rule; request for comments	Repair Stations: Service Difficulty Reporting	FAA2003-16772
Dec-30-03	Final rule; delay of effective date	Service Difficulty Reports	FAA2000-7952
Dec-12-03	Final rule; technical amendment	Aging Airplane Safety	FAA1999-5401
Dec-01-03	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM)	Stage 4 Aircraft Noise Standards	FAA2003-16526
Nov-24-03	Proposed rulemaking; notice of public meeting	Area Navigation (RNAV) and Miscellaneous Amendments; Aviation Rulemaking Committee Meeting	FAA2003-14002
Nov-19-03	Final rule; amendment	Prohibition Against Certain Flights Within the Territory and Airspace of Iraq	FAA2003-14766
Nov-19-03	Direct final rule; request for comments	Special Federal Aviation Regulation No. 36, Development of Major Repair Data	FAA2003-16527
Nov-18-03	Proposed rule; Correction	Extended Operations (ETOPS) of Multi-engine Airplanes; Correction	FAA1999-6717
Nov-17-03	Notice of proposed rulemaking	Extended Operations (ETOPS) of Multi-engine Airplanes	FAA1999-6717
Oct-27-03	Notice of a petition for rulemaking	Operating Requirements: Domestic, Flag, and Supplemental Operations; Petition for Rulemaking	FAA2003-14594
Oct-27-03	Final rule	Reduced Vertical Separation Minimum in Domestic United States Airspace	FAA2002-12261
Oct-23-03	Final rule	Air Tour Operators in the State of Hawaii	FAA2003-14830
Oct-22-03	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM)	National Air Tour Safety Standards	FAA1998-4521
Oct-21-03	Final rule; correction	DOD Commercial Air Carrier Evaluators	FAA2003-15571
Sept-30-03	Final rule; correction	Flightdeck Security on Large Cargo Airplanes	FAA2003-15653
Sept-29-03	Final rule; delay of effective date	Repair Stations	FAA1999-5836
Sept-17-03	Final Rule	Regulation of Fractional Aircraft Ownership Programs and On-Demand Operations	FAA2001-10047
Sept-15-03	Final Rule	Correction Digital Flight Data Recorder Requirements -- Changes to Recording Specifications and Additional Exceptions; Correction	FAA2003-15682
Aug-20-03	Final Rule	Correction Digital Flight Data Recorder Requirements--Changes to Recording Specifications and Additional Exceptions	FAA2003-15682

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Aug-20-03	Final Rule	Correction Improved Flammability Standards for Thermal/Acoustic Insulation Materials Used in Transport Category Airplanes	_FAA2000-7909
Aug-20-03	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM), Correction	Air Tour Operators in the State of Hawaii; Correction	_FAA2003-14830
Aug-11-03	Final rule	Reports by Carriers on Incidents Involving Animals During Air Transport	_FAA2002-13378
Aug-08-03	Final rule; correction	Lower Deck Service Compartments on Transport Category Airplanes; Correction	_FAA2002-11346
Aug-08-03	Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM)	Air Tour Operators in the State of Hawaii	_FAA2003-14830
Aug-05-03	Final rule	Revised Requirement for Material Strength Properties and Design Values for Transport Airplanes	_FAA2002-11345

New ACs

Jul-04	AC 23.1419-2C	Certification of Part 23 Airplanes for Flight in Icing Conditions
Jul-04	AC 20-65A	U. S. AIRWORTHINESS CERTIFICATES AND AUTHORIZATIONS FOR OPERATION OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN AIRCRAFT
Jun-04	AC 120-83	Flight Deck Observer Seat and Associated Equipment
May-04	AC 25.1419-1A	Certification of Transport Category Airplanes for Flight in Icing Conditions
Apr-04	AC 120-82	Flight Operational Quality Assurance
Mar-04	AC 25.869-1 AC 25.1353-1 AC 120-81	Electrical System Fire and Smoke Protection Electrical Requirement and Installations Whistleblower Protection Program (Air Carrier)
Mar-04	AC 33.90-1	Initial Maintenance Inspection (IM), 14 CFR §33.90, Test for Turbine Engines
Feb-04	AC 23-16A	Powerplant Guide for Certification of Part 23 Airplanes and Airships
Feb-04	AC 43-210	Standardized Procedures for Requesting Field Approval of Data, Major Alterations, and Repairs
Feb-04	AC 20-147	Turbojet, Turboprop, and Turbofan Engine Induction System Icing and Ice Ingestion
Jan-04	AC 120-68C	Pilot Records Improvement Act of 1996 as Amended
Jan-04	AC 120-51E	Crew Resource Management Training
Jan-04	AC 120-80	In-Flight Fires
Jan-04	AC 183-35K	Airworthiness Designee Information

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Dec-03	AC 23-15A	Small Airplane Certification Compliance Program
Dec-03	AC 20-138A	Airworthiness Approval of Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) Equipment
Nov-03	AC 35.4 - 1	Propeller Instructions for Continued Airworthiness
Sep-03	AC 21-2K	Export Airworthiness Approval Procedures
Sep-03	AC 20-27F AC 91-73A AC 120-74A	Certification and Operation of Amateur-Built Aircraft Part 91 and Part 135 Single-Pilot Procedures during Taxi Operations Parts 91, 121, 125, and 135 Flightcrew Procedures during Taxi Operations
Sep-03	AC 150/5210-21	Announcement of Availability: Airport Surface Safety Training Programs for Mechanics and Ramp Personnel
Sep-03	AC 90-99	High Altitude Airspace Redesign Phase 1
Sep-03	AC 23-20	Acceptance Guidance on Material Procurement and Process Specifications for Polymer Matrix Composite Systems
Sep-03	AC 65-13X AC 135-13L AC 140-2FF AC 140-7N AC 147-2JJ AC 183-32N	FAA Inspection Authorization Directory FAA Certificated Air Carriers Directory FAA Certificated Pilot Schools Directory FAA Certificated Repair Stations Directory FAA Certificated Aviation Maintenance Technician Schools Directory FAA Certificated Technical Personnel Examiners Directory

New ACs

Sep-03	AC 39-8	Continued Airworthiness Assessments of Powerplant and Auxiliary Power Unit Installations of Transport Category Airplanes
Aug-03	AC 23-8B	Flight Test Guide for Certification of Part 23 Airplanes
Aug-03	AC 33.28-2	Guidance Material for 14 CFR 33.28, Reciprocating Engine, Electrical and Electronic Engine Control Systems
Aug-03	AC 25.613-1	Material Strength Properties and Material Design Values
Jul-03	AC 33.74-92-1A	Turbine Engine Continued Rotation and Rotor Locking
	AC 33.74/92-1A	Turbine Engine Continued Rotation and Rotor Locking
	AC 121-24C	Passenger Safety Information Briefing and Briefing Cards
Jul-03	AC 45-2B	Identification and Registration Marking
Jul-03	AC 36-4C	Noise Standards: Aircraft Type and Airworthiness Certification
Jul-03	AC 23-11A	14 CFR Part 23 Type Certification of an Airplane Originally Certificated to Joint Aviation Regulations - Very Light Airplane (JAR-VLA) Standards
Jul-03	AC 145-9	Guide for Developing and Evaluating Repair Station and Quality Control Manuals
Jul-03	AC 21-19A	Installation of Used Aircraft Engines in New Production Aircraft

Policy Memos

05-Aug-04	PS-ACE100-2002-007	Pitot Heat Indication Systems
14-Jul-04	PS-ANM00-2003-10019	Evaluating a Seat Armrest Cavity for a Potential Fire Hazard.
09-Jul-04	PS-ACE100-2004-10023	Flammability of Electrical Wre used in Part 23 Aircraft
05-May-04	PS-AIR100-5/5/2004	Transition to Docket Management System for future Airworthiness Directives
09-Apr-04	PS-AIR120-2003-TSO	Type Certificate (TC)/ Technical Standard Order (TSO) Seat Issues and Their Resolution
25-Feb-04	PS-AIR100-2004-02/25/04	STC Documentation
23-Feb-04	PS-ACE100-2002-005	Circuit Breakers and Fuses
21-Jan-04	PS-ANE-2002-33.15-R0	14 CFR §33.15, Materials
15-Jan-04	PS-ANM03-117-09	Guidance for Determination of System, Hardware, and Software Development Assurance Levels on Transport Category Airplanes
30-Oct-03	ANE-2002-35.15-R0	Propeller Safety Analysis
28-Oct-03	PS-AIR100-10/28/03	Part 21, Subpart G, New Engine Production with Used Parts
06-Oct-03	PS-AIR-100-2003-10-06-03-ResCat	Adding Restricted Category Special Purpose Approvals, and Evaluation of Operating Environments
02-Oct-03	ANM-03-115-28	Use of Surrogate Parts When Evaluating Seatbacks and Seatback Mounted Accessories for Compliance with §§ 25.562(c)(5) and 25.785(b) and (d)
15-Sep-03	PS-ACE 100-2002-006	Material Qualification and Equivalency for Polymer Matrix Composite Material Systems
12-Sep-03	PS-AIR-100-2003-09-12-03-ResM1	Restricted Category/Military Surplus Program Management
08-Sep-03	PS-AIR100-9/8/2003	Classification of Design Changes to TSO-C39b, TSO-C127, and TSO-C127a Articles
08-Sep-03	PS-AIR100-9/8/2003-127	Standard Content and Format for the Installation Instructions and Limitations Required by TSO-C127a

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25-Feb-04	PS-AIR100-2004-02/25/04	STC Documentation
23-Feb-04	PS-ACE100-2002-005	Circuit Breakers and Fuses
21-Jan-04	PS-ANE-2002-33.15-RO	14 CFR §33.15, Materials
15-Jan-04	PS-ANM03-117-09	Guidance for Determination of System Hardware, and Software Development Assurance Levels on Transport Category Airplanes
30-Oct-03	ANE-2002-35.15-R	Propeller Safety Analysis
28-Oct-03	PS-AIR100-10/28/03	Part 21, Subpart G, New Engine Production with Used Parts
06-Oct-03	PS-AIR-100-2003-10-06-03-ResCat	Adding Restricted Category Special Purpose Approvals, and Evaluation of Operating Environments
02-Oct-03	ANM03-115-28	Use of Surrogate Parts When Evaluating Seatbacks and Seatback Mounted Accessories for Compliance with §§ 25.562(c)(5) and 25.785(b) and (d)
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08-Sep-03	PS-AIR100-9/8/2003-127	Standard Content and Format for the Installation Instructions and Limitations Required by TSO-C127a

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25-Aug-03	PS- ACE100-2002-008	Propeller Testing Vd Versus VNE
14-Jul-03	PS- AIR100-2003- ARP5526	Using SAE ARP5526, Aircraft Seat Design Guidance and Clarifications, in Seat Design Approvals
07-Jul-03	PS- ANM03-115-05	Policy Statement and Equivalent Safety Finding on No Smoking Placards and Signs
30-May-03	PS- ACE100-2002-003	Standardization of Application of 14 CFR Part 23, § 23.1309 Regarding Hazardous Msleading Heading Information for Attitude-Heading Reference Systems (AHRS)
30-May-03	PS- ANM02-113-016	Guidance for the Certification of Honeywell Primus Epic Systems
22-May-03	PS- ACE100-2002-004	Diesel Engine Installation
21-May-03	PS- ACE100-2002-002	Installation Approval of Multi-Function Displays Using the AML STC Process
02-Apr-03	PS- ANM100-2003- 115-04	Exit Bands
12-Mar-03	PS- ANE-2001-35.13- R0	Policy for Propeller-Level Failure Effects
12-Mar-03	PS- ANE-2001-35.31- R0	Policy for Bird Strike, Lightning, and Centrifugal Load Testing for Composite Propeller Blades and Spinners
25-Feb-03	PS- ANM100-2003- 112-15	SFAR 88 - Mandatory Action Decision Criteria
07-Feb-03	PS- ANM100-01-03A	Factors to Consider when Reviewing an Applicant's Proposed Human Factors Methods of Compliance for Flight Deck Certification

Part 25 Policy

Final Policy

Date	Document #	Subject or Title	Description	Regulatory Ref.	Contact
Cockpit/Flight Deck Design					
2/7/2003	ANM-01-03A (PS-ANM100-2003-01-03)	Factors to Consider when Reviewing an Applicant's Proposed Human Factors Methods of Compliance for Flight Deck Certification	The policy statement provides guidance to FAA Certification Teams conducting a review of applicants' proposed methods of compliance for 14 CFR part 25 regulations related to flight deck human factors.	14 CFR part 25, multiple regulations	John McConnell 425-227-1365
Flammability/Fire Protection					
2/25/2003	2003-112-15	SFAR 88 - Mandatory Action Decision Criteria	The purpose of this memorandum is to provide standardized policy for determining the need for mandatory action relative to the findings from the fuel system safety review required by Special Federal Aviation Regulation Number 88 (SFAR 88).	SFAR 88	Dennis Kammers 425-227-2956
Passenger & Cargo Layout, Interiors, Cabin Safety					
10/2/2003	ANM-03-115-28	Policy Statement on Use of Surrogate Parts When Evaluating Seatbacks and Seatback Mounted Accessories for Compliance with §§ 25.562(c)(5) and 25.785(b) and (d)	Policy on using surrogate test articles in lieu of actual production seatback mounted accessories (e.g., video monitor, telephone) during blunt trauma tests in accordance with §§ 25.562(c)(5) and 25.785(b) and (d)	25.562(c)(5) 25.785(b) and (d)	Mike Thompson 425-227-1157
7/7/2003	ANM-03-115-05	Policy Statement and Equivalent Safety Finding on No Smoking Placards and Signs	Certification policy on placards and signs that prohibit smoking. Additionally, this memorandum documents a finding of equivalent safety when the FAA finds that specific criteria are met.	§§ 25.853 and 25.791	Mike Thompson 425-227-1157
4/2/2003	ANM-03-115-04 (PS-ANM100-2003-115-04)	Policy Statement on Exit Bands	The purpose of this memorandum is to provide Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) certification policy on colored exit bands required by § 25.811(f)(1) and (2).	§ 25.811(f), AC 20-47	Mike Thompson 425-227-1157
Systems & Equipment					
1/15/2004	ANM-03-117-09	Policy Statement on Guidance for Determination of System, Hardware, and Software Development Assurance Levels on Transport Category Airplanes	The purpose of this memorandum is to clarify Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Transport Airplane Directorate (TAD) certification policy on determination of system development assurance levels, hardware design assurance levels, and software levels.	§§ 25.1301 and 25.1309; AC 25.1309-1A, and AC 20-115B	Linh Le 425-227-1105
5/30/2003	ANM-02-113-016 (PS-ANM-02-113-016)	Guidance for the Certification of Honeywell Primus Epic Systems	The purpose of this memorandum is to establish the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Transport Airplane Directorate (TAD) guidance for the certification of Honeywell Primus Epic® (referred to as Epic from here forward in this document) Systems.	§ 25.1301, § 25.1309, AC 25.1309-1A	Connie Beane 425-227-2796

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Cockpit/Flight Deck Design					
1/16/2004	ANM-03-117-58	Certification of Flight Data Recording Systems on 14 CFR Part 25 Aircraft	Policy on certification of Flight Data Recording Systems.	§§ 121.344, 121.344a, 125.226, 135.152	Forrest Keller 425-227-2790
Flammability/Fire Protection					
2/10/2003	ANM-03-112-06 (PS-ANM112-2003-112-06 in RGL)	Policy Statement on Below Deck Class C Cargo Compartment Smoke Penetration	The issue in question is the amount of smoke penetration permitted into the cabin during a below deck Class C cargo compartment smoke test conducted under the provisions of § 25.857.	§ 25.857 AC 25-9A	Steve Happenny 425-227-2147
Passenger & Cargo Layout, Interiors, Cabin Safety					
3/17/2004	PS-ANM100-2004-10021	Policy Statement on the Installation of "No Stowage" Placards on Surfaces Not Designed or Intended To Be Used for Stowage	The purpose of this memorandum is to provide Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) certification policy with respect to the installation of "No Stowage" placards on surfaces that are not designed or intended to be used for stowage.	§§ 25.787, 25.789	Mike Thompson 425-227-1157
1/23/2004	PS-ANM100-2003-10019	Policy Statement on Evaluating a Seat Armrest Cavity for a Potential Fire Hazard	Certification policy with respect to evaluating a seat armrest cavity for a potential fire hazard.	§ 25.601	Mike Thompson 425-227-1157
9/11/2003	ANM-03-115-30	Policy Statement on Side Facing Seats on Transport Category Airplanes	The purpose of this memorandum is to clarify Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) certification policy on § 25.785(a), Amendment 25-64, for side-facing seats.	§§ 25.562 and 25.785(a) at Amendment 25-64; Policy Memorandum dated November 19,	Mike Thompson 425-227-1157
7/11/2003	PS-ANM-03-115-31	Policy Statement on Conducting Component Level Tests to Demonstrate Compliance with §§ 25.785(b) and (d)	The purpose of this memorandum is to provide Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) certification policy on conducting component level tests in order to demonstrate compliance with the requirements of §§ 25.785(b) and (d).	§§ 25.785(b) and (d)	Jim Cashdollar 425-227-2785

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Systems & Equipment					
5/16/2003	ANM-03-112-16	Interim Policy on Amendment 25-87 Requirements	This memo provides applicants with information on how the FAA will evaluate petitions for exemption from § 25.841(a), as amended by Amendment 25-87.	25.841(a)	Steve Happenny 425-227-2147
4/3/2003	ANM-03-111-18	Policy Statement on the Installation of Transport Category Airplane Flightdeck Liquid Crystal Displays (LCD)	The purpose of this memorandum is to clarify Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) certification policy on the installation of liquid crystal displays (LCD).	§§ 25.1301, 25.1303, 25.1305, 25.1309, 25.1316, 25.1321, 25.1322, AC 25-11	John McConnell 425-227-1365
3/4/2003	ANM-03-111-07	Policy Statement on Testing of Flightcrew Oxygen Masks for Transport Category Airplanes.	Methods of compliance with 14 CFR 25.1447(c)(2)(i), which requires that flightcrew oxygen masks be installed so that they can be donned within five seconds. The issue in question is the test methods used to show compliance with this requirement.	14 CFR 25.1447 (c)(2)(i)	John McConnell 425-227-1365
3/4/2003	ANM-03-117-10	Identification of Flight Critical System Components	This memo sets forth policy on defining flight critical system components for use in existing design and certification guidance, and developing guidance for continuing airworthiness and maintenance processes.	§ 25.1309, AC 25.1309-1A	Linh Le 425-227-1105
2/25/2003	ANM-03-111-12 (PS-ANM-2003-111-12 in RGL)	Policy Statement on Guidance for Demonstrating Compliance with the Proposed 14 CFR § 121.346, "ATC Transponder Operation"	The purpose of this memorandum is to provide guidance for an acceptable means of showing compliance with the proposed requirements of 14 CFR § 121.346 (quick activation and continuous operation of an aircraft transponder in the event of a hijacking)	§ 121.345(c), Proposed § 121.346	Ken Schroer 425-917-6532

Part 23 Policy

Recent Policy Statements

* Propeller Testing	PS-ACE100-2002-008	8-15-03	9-2-03
* Human Factors	PS-ACE100-2001-004	9-13-02	9-26-02
* Hazardous Misleading Heading	PS-ACE100-2002-003	7-15-03	7-31-03
* Aircraft Diesel Engines	PS-ACE100-2002-004	5-28-03	6-13-03
* Circuit Breakers and Fuses	PS-ACE100-2002-005	2-23-04	3-26-04

Recent Advisory Circulars

Dynamic Seats	AC 20-146
* Flight in Icing	AC 23.1419-2C
* JAR-VLA	AC 23-11A
* Small Airplane Certification Compliance Program	AC 23-15A
* Powerplant	AC 23-16A
* Polymer Matrix Composite Systems	AC 23-20
* Flight Test Guide	AC 23-8B

Part 23 Policy Status

Policy Name	Policy Number	Printed Date	Cancelled/Superseded/ Retracted/Issued in Another Format	Current Document	Current Date
Flammability Testing per 14 CFR, Part 23, Section 23.853	PS-ACE-01-23-853-01		Superseded	PS-ACE100-2001-02	
Static Strength Substantiation of Composite Airplane Structure	PS-ACE-01-573-01		Superseded	PS-ACE100-2001-006	12-21-01
Polymer Composites	PS-ACE100-2002-006		Issued in Another Format	AC 23-20	
Certification of De-icing Boots Through Similarity Policy			Cancelled	AC 23.1419.2B	11-25-98
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